HOUSE No. 86

By Mr. Fagan of Taunton, petition of James H. Fagan relative to prohibiting the collection of signatures for inititive or referendum petitions for compensation. Election Laws.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year Two Thousand and Five.

AN ACT FURTHER REGULATING INITIATIVE AND REFERENDUM PETITIONS.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

- 1 Section 22A of chapter 53 of the General Laws, as appearing in
- 2 the 2002 Official Edition, is hereby amended by adding the
- 3 following sentence:—
- 4 No person shall engage in the collection of signatures for a ini-
- 5 tiative or referendum petition for money or any other thing of
- 6 value.